the proof of the pudding is

in the eating. Lesterdap's

HILL AND PLATT

They May Join Against Non-Partisanship in New York.

EFFECT OF MAYOR STRONG'S COURSE

Influence on the Politics of the State Next Year.

THE FIGHT THUS FAR

can Senator Hill assist Mr. Platt in any way? The question seems strange, but it is thought to 7 cosses a certain relevancy. The fight between the mayor and Mr. Platt is regarded by the politicians as at bottom involving the welfare of both the old parties in New York. Non-partisanship in the sitairs of the town means as much, or even more, to the democratic as to the republican managers. A deutocrat accepting office from Mayor Strong, and in that way connecting himself with the Strong movements himself with the Strong movements himself with the Strong movements of the strong movement as a strong movement of the strong movement of the strong movement of the strong movement in the fear of the strong movement in the strong the strong movement to Senator Hill. He is looking to the democratic organization in New York city for valuable support within the next temperature of the strong movement in the support within the very pink of condition when he calls upon it.

He fights in the regular way and always discourages side issues. Once a democratic everything, is his shibbolic the strong movement in the most campaftm with this cry, and he will benefit greatly if he can manage to make it heard loud and clear at home. This puts him for the time, and on this one issue, in the same boat with Mr. Platt. Whatever is designed and likely to weaken party organization and discourage partisan activity in the metropolis will affect both men alike. Mr. Platt is the recognized republican isader, and Mr. Hill the recognized from the most campaign of the preserving party split in its most serviceable form.

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Senator Hill, it is pointed out, is at Albany, in easy reach of all these who may desire to consult him. He is rich in experience in handling difficult legislative problems. A suggestion from him now and then might help along the Platt program in the effort to check the march of the Strong forces. He doesn't want Strong to win any more than Mr. Platt does, and by helping Platt be would be helping bimself. On personal grounds there is good feeling existing between the two men, and this adds interest and a certain persuasiveness to the speculation indulged in.

The Evening Star.

The Recent Contest in Idaho Leads Much Bitterness.

of the minority each to make a statement from his point of view, always intended for political capital, of the condition of the appropriations, what has and what has not been done, and to make a comparison of the work of this committee under one party with that under a different party control. As the leading man of the minority it naturally fell to Gen. Henderson to make this gatachemit, and as soon as all the appropriation islits were passed he began the propriation islits were passed he began the properties. But doring the last republican Congress Mr. Cannon was chairman of the committee on appropriations and Gen. Henderson was second. It was through Cannon's being left out one term that Gen. Henderson passed him in number and rank. This raises a delicate point of procedure—whether a man who has been chairman, but who has missed a term of Congress, shall or shall not take the lead over one who has had unbroken service without the opportunity of a chairmanship. Precedent is in favor of the unbroken term of service, but Mr. Cannon is not disposed to relinish in the committee, and it was sent abroad over the country by the press associations. The next day, when Gen. Henderson came out with his statement, it was aiready discounted, and its news value destroyed, so that only a brief summary of it was sent out, and that as a courtesy to him. The episode has provoked considerable feeling and caused a flurry among the wise men of the appropriations committee.

A New Superintendent.
Secretary Carliste today appointed Henry
L. Godsey of Kentucky superintendent of
the stamp vault, internal revenue heaving
at \$2,000 per annum, vice Henry C, Boyd,
promoted to be chief of division. There has
been a great fight for this office.

The Columbia Taking on Coal.

SHOUP AND SWEET TALKED TOO MUCH THAT SUPPRESSED REPORT

Secretary Gresham Believes Consul General Williams Did So.

DIPLOMATIC DUTIES DEFINED

Very Plain Comment From the Head of the State Department.

NOTHING HEARD FROM SPAIN

weeks, that was the impression I got then and which comes to me from different sources.

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"Sometimes I think that the sentiment favorable to the gold standard is increasing among other classes of people in the west, but it will not do to be too confident about among other classes of people in the west, but it will not do to be too confident about this. You see, the people who are most actively concerned in fostering the silver sentiment have a direct pecuniary interest in the free coinage of silver. They put in their money, time and intellectual effort to the working up of free silver sentiment.

"On the other hand, the people wholed, with the use of silver as subsidiary coin, are only interested in a general way. No particular individual has a pecuniary interest in the matter, and, therefore, does not feel called upon to devote his time or money in efforts to bring it about.

"In this way, then, it happens that the people at large hear more in favor of free silver than they do against it. There is no organization to do for the gold standard what the leger For mediate education of opinion among the people against free coinage."

DOCKERY'S EXPERT DISSATISFIED J. W. Reinhart Wants Twice as Much Salary as He Was Allowed.

The government has made a settlement with the experts of the Dockery commiswith the experts of the Dockery commission, which investigated and reorganized the business methods of the several executive departments. Mr. J. W. Reinhart, the chief of the commission, has received 89,500, but he was dissatisfied with this amount, and filed a receipt under protest. He claims to be entitled to \$10,000 additional. Mr. E. W. Haskins received \$15,698, Mr. E. W. Sells \$10,555, and two clerks to the House committee on appropriations \$2,500 jointly. These sums do not include traveling and other expenses incurred by the commission.

Things That Were Written the Patent Office Gazette

Criticism of the Commissione

ADMIRAL MEADE'S FLEET.

A Senator's Acknowledgment.

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The scholars of Congress Heights school have recaived a pretty little note from Scrator Gorman, to whom in the closing days of the recent session of Congress they sent a handsome bouquet of flowers to testify to their appreciation of his efforts to secure a larger school building in Congress Heights. Senator Gorman wrote to them as follows:

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May Young Friends: I received your note with the very beautiful basket of flowers, for which I thank you. I regard this tribute as an expression of your good will because of my part in the passifiles. The bill exist the children take in the public section is to exhibit the present the children take in the public sections is very gratifying to me and blds well for the country. I hope you will appreciate the opportunities you have and take advantage of them to improve yourselves. Yours, very truly, A. P. GORMAN.
Master J. M. Simpson, Master M. Joyce, Master J. M. Simpson, Master M. Joyce, Master Arthur Burgess, committee Congress Heights, care of A. E. Randie.

Mr. Carlisle Getting Stronger. Secretary Carlisle was in his office at the Treasury Department for several hours today. Although not fully recovered from his recent attack of the grip, he is feeling

Assistant Secretary, McAdoo has recovered from his recent indisposition, and was on duty at the Navy Department today. Capt. Sampson, chief of the naval bureau of ordnance, although still suffering from the effects of the grip, was able to spend a few hours in his office today.

A CABLE TO HAWAII COUNTING THE COST

An International Combination Lay One.

NEGOTIATIONS SAID TO BE IN PROGRESS

What is Said at the Hawaiian and Japanese Legations.

THE INTEREST OF FRANCE

the United States and Hawaii by the com

Notither do I believe that Minister Kurnio has had any communication with the Secretary of State on the subject.

"Have there been any conferences with officials of this legation upon the matter?" inquired The Star reporter.

Mr. Mataui smilled again. "None, I assure you," he replied amiably. "All the statements published regarding the approaching completion of preliminaries in this regard are something new to me, and I cannot believe there is much in them."

THE MONETARY COMMISSION.

enators Jones and Teller Preparing to Leave for Their Homes. to Leave for Their Homes.

Senators Jones and Teller of the proposed international monetary commission are preparing to leave for their homes. They met at the Capitol today and held a brief conference, at which they concluded that there was no probability of the commission having occasion to come together until some time in the Summer, if it be called at all, and that any meeting now would be premature and unnecessary. They expected to be notified by the Secretary of State in case any formal action is taken, and in that event, and when the commission shall be completed by the appointment of the three remaining members, there will probably be a formal meeting in Washington early in the summer months. Senator Jones leaves for Arkansas tonight and Senator Teller for Colorado Monday.

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The First American Merchant Ship.
The American corsul at Bergen, Norway, reports that for the first time in fifteen years an American vessel, the ship Hamilton Flah, built in 1836, of 1,628 tons, was entered and cleared from that port. During the last ten years the trade under the American Sage with the saltic American Sage with the saltic Russia on the Baltic, has consisted of this voyage of the Hamilton Fish, one bark in 1880, one bark and one ship in 1880, one bark and one ship in 1880, one bark and one ship in 1880, one bark and of which made single voyages.

Would Entail.

tack of "the grip contracted during expesure to a snow storm in Texas.

Mr. John P. Buckley left last evening for New Orieans.

Lieut. Commander C. C. Todd has been ordered to examination for promotion.

Capt. M. W. Day, ninth cavalry, is in the city on leave. He is at the Ebbitt.

Maj. M. P. Caldwell, 1439 8 Street northwest, has just returned from a business trip of several weeks to Los Angeles, southern California.

Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Maxwell is in New York.

Lieutenant A. E. Williams, third cavalry, is in the city on leave of absence.

Captain Albert Barnia: is at the Arno.

Secretary Gresham is suffering from a slight neuralgic attack, which confines him to his rooms at his hotel.

Pensions Granted.

Among the pensions granted today were the following: District of Columbia—Fred-erick Zinckgraf, John J. Burk, Christian J. Ash, Josephine P. Kelton and Asa C. Maryland-Jethro T. McCullough, Rising

Sun. Virginia—Samuel English, Alexandria; Mary A. Hall, Alexandria; Julia E. Lock, Sterling. Treasury Receipts.

National bank notes received today for redemption, \$300,300. Government receipts -From internal revenue, \$340,970; customs, \$475,058; miscellancous, \$20,004.

Serious Accident.

CAPTURED BY TRAMPS

Fifty Desperate "Hoboes" Overpower a Train's Crew.

ROUTED BY THE WILMINGTON POLICE

Eleven Taken After a Running

SENTENCES IMPOSED

WILMINGTON, Del., March 9,-Last night a gang of about fifty tramps cap-tured the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore freight train from Baltimore, which was due in this city about 11:20 clock. The tramps got on the train utside of Baltimore, and at once be abuse the trainmen.

TO KEEP OUT OF THE FIGHT. Postor German Will Stay in Europe During the Summer.

tender Augustus Chauvett, Porter James Miller.

As to two given in the list of 12, Mrs. Dr. Mary Anderson and her patient, Miss Harrington of Jamestown, N. Y., they are not only alive, but expect to resums their journey to New Orleans on the Buckeys State, which leaves for New Orleans this evening. Two others of the list of 12 are deck hands who were yesterday reported drowned and afterward heard from as alive for the state of the state of the list of 12 are deck hands who were yesterday reported drowned and afterward heard from as alive for the state of the state of the list of the state of the

Denth of a Redired Omeer. BELMONT, N. Y., March 9.—Col. Andrew J. McNett of the United States army, retired, died at his home here at the age of seventy-four years. He was made brigadier general by brevet for meritorious conduct in Shermans Georgia campaign.

Death of a Retired Officer.

A Locomotive's Fatal Explosion. A Locomotive's Faith Explosion.

HARRISBURG, Pa., March 9.—The engine of the Pacific express, which left Union station, on the Penusylvania rall-road at 3:10 this morning, was blown up

risburg. Fireman John H. Piessley of Maryaville, Pa., was killed, and Engineer John A. Funk of Harrisburg was probably fatally injured.